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A SCORE OF PLANT BEDS

In Christian County Scraped In the North Pembroke District

SOME BEDS GUARDED

Some Victims Have Joined Association, Others Will Plant No Crops.

Mr. John C. Thurmond, of Gracey, whose tobacco beds were destroyed by night riders last week, in an interview with a Kentuckian representative, said he would not raise a crop this year. He says he could possibly raise some late plants by re-sowing and guarding his beds, but would probably lose his barn after the crop was housed.

Mr. Thurmond says he does not know who destroyed his property, but he believes it was done by members or supporters of the tobacco association. He says there are no representatives of the trust in his section and it would be impossible for any corporation to hire such work done without being exposed, as a man who would contract to do such work would turn against his employer whenever it was to his interest to do so. Mr. Thurmond said he had never been threatened, but had been given to understand that he could not raise a crop outside of the association.

The same night his beds were scraped, the beds of George Diuguid on the adjoining farm, and Jas. D. Blakeley, over in the edge of Trigg county, were also scraped. Next morning, he learned by telephone from Gracey that his beds had been dug up before he had given out the

information himself. He says there were 8 horseback riders at Diuguid's and five of them walked across the plowed field to his bed, a short distance, and returned to their horses. He believes the same crowd then went by Mr. Blakeley's and scraped his beds on their way back to their homes in Trigg county.

A man whose business carries him into the country returned this week from Trigg county and says he was told by a well known farmer whom he called upon that the association had carried the "outsiders" as long as it intended to. W. F. Cox, J. P. Sholar and P. T. Roberts have joined the association.

Mr. Thurmond says he does not believe any man outside of the association will be allowed to raise a crop and he is not willing to join a body that does not denounce such lawless methods as the night riders are resorting to and that he would rather quit raising tobacco altogether than to take part in, or have guilty knowledge of such misdeeds.

In the meantime the reward of \$500 offered for each conviction is not causing any uneasy feeling.

The night riders are getting bolder and some of the marauders are said to be known. They seem to be confident that no evidence to convict them can be secured. Kiah Malone, it is said, wants a survey made of his farm to determine which side of the county line his beds are on and that he is ready to prosecute. He pays taxes in Trigg county.

Mr. McCargo and his seven sons are watching their plantbeds near Bainbridge and their guns are loaded with buckshot. Their beds have not been molested.

Capt. A. G. Chapman, representing the insurance companies carrying insurance on the association storage house in Cadiz, went to Cadiz Monday and came back satisfied that there was no danger of retaliation. He says he was told that there are not more than 15 or 20 non-association tobacco growers in Trigg county and that a mob of non-asso-

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EXPENDITURES FOR THIS YEAR.

1907, Will Be a Record Breaker and Will Give Work for All.

JUST WATCH US GROW.

Three Hundred and Thirty-five Thousand Dollars a Conservative Estimate of Improvements Now On.

This paper has taken the pains to get together the amount of money that is to be spent this year in the city and county in the way of building and improvement of county roads. We have been very conservative. As the Salubria Hotel is under contract with a local firm and in

the county, we have included it. It will be observed that this is the only building outside the city limits that is included in the estimates given below. Look over them and you will be surprised at the amount of work in sight at the opening of the building season:

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| In new pikes, bond issue | \$100,000 |
| Other road improvements | 40,000 |
| Forbes Manufacturing Company's new factory | 45,000 |
| office building | 12,000 |
| J. H. Anderson & Co.'s department store | 50,000 |
| J. F. Garnett's new store room | 15,000 |
| Enlargement of Christian Church | 15,000 |
| Salubria Springs Hotel (equipped) | 10,000 |
| Enlargement of Methodist Church | 10,000 |
| Apartment building 6th and Clay streets | 8,000 |
| Enlargement Baptist Church | 5,000 |
| City streets and sewers | 7,000 |
| Lucian Davis' residence | 6,000 |
| Mrs. Amelia Lindsay's residence | 5,000 |
| Smaller buildings under contract | 7,000 |
| Total | \$335,000 |

With such an outlook just at the opening of the building season it is reasonable to suppose that the amount will swell to wonderful proportions before winter begins. Even after winter sets in there will be quite a number of cottages built during mild weather.

The demand for vacant houses is today as great as it was at the close of last year and at the beginning of this. There is not a vacant store room on Main street and very few (not more than two or three) on any of the other business streets. People are moving into the city as fast as they can secure buildings in which to live. The real estate dealers are making sales every day and, of course, realty is advancing steadily.

A contractor remarked only a few days ago that there are now, unfavorable as the weather has been all of this month, from forty to fifty houses in the city in different stages of erection. He said that he had ten or twelve contracts on hand, and he was satisfied that other contractors

had thirty or forty. South Kentucky College will have to arrange to enlarge its lodging facilities. Even though it is able to house more students to-day than it ever has been in its history, it is not at all able to comply with the demands that have been made. Since the college has been rebuilt and a large girls' dormitory added, it has had to turn off a large number of young ladies from a distance who have applied for tuition and board in the institution.

We will not say anything now of the prospect of both the L. & N. and I. C. railroads building new passenger stations. They will be built soon. The present stations are entirely inadequate for the comfort and convenience of the traveling public. The railroad companies know this, and when the proper time arrives they will put up new buildings or get together and build a large passenger station—which all agree, would be much better.

Watch Greater Hopkinsville spread herself during 1907.

EASTERN STAR CHAPTER

May Soon be Organized Here by Masonic Leditas.

Worthy Master J. W. Carlous, of Hopkinsville Lodge No. 37, F. & A. M., is making arrangements to have an Eastern Star Chapter organized sometime in the near future. The wives, mothers, daughters and sisters of all Master Masons are eligible. It has been ten or twelve years since the degree was last conferred here. The late Rev. A. W. Meacham conferred it at that time on several ladies. It requires fifteen charter members to organize a chapter.

TO-NIGHT

Will be Interesting at the Christian Church.

Don't fail to attend the meeting of the C. E. Union at the Christian church to-night. Everybody is invited and a good time is assured to all.

For Sale.

A few registered Duroc Jersey Boar Pigs. Prices right. W. E. FORGY, Pembroke, Ky.

Keeling Berries

Last week we received a few. This morning another lot. Shortly they will arrive daily. All Hopkinsville people know Keeling Berries.

We Have All Kinds of Spring Vegetables.

W. T. COOPER & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

FORMER PATIENT

At Western Asylum Dies of Consumption.

One of the most faithful attendants at the asylum died last Wednesday. T. Forrester was sent from Hopkins county ten years ago to take his place among the hundreds of unfortunates at the asylum. A few years after he was restored to his right mind and accepted a position as attendant. He proved to be one of the most faithful and efficient. In the meanwhile consumption laid its deadly hand upon him. He passed away Wednesday at the age of 35 years. He never had but one sight of the city, and that was the day he was brought here as a lunatic. One other peculiarity with him was that he never spoke a word to any one without it was on business. He had nearly \$2,000 to his credit in bank when he died.

DICKINSON-SMITH.

Prominent Young People of Trenton to Marry.

Mr. Eugene H. Dickinson, a prominent young farmer of Trenton, and Miss Mayme Smith, daughter of Mrs. Sallie H. Smith, of the same place, will be married April 30. The ceremony will be performed in the Trenton Baptist church at 5 o'clock p. m. Ham sacks for sale at Kentuckian office.

LIGHT PLANT

At Trenton Wrecked By An Explosion.

Electrician Duerson was Pretty Badly Burned.

The electric light plant at Trenton was wrecked by an explosion and the power house destroyed by fire. A valve was opened for the purpose of re-charging the boiler and the explosion followed. The wreck was total, the damage amounting to probably six or seven hundred dollars. Mr. Will Duerson, the electrician, was badly burned about the face and head, but was not fatally injured. The plant had only been in operation a few months and was one among the best in this section. New machinery was ordered at once and it will only be a matter of a few days until operations are resumed. In the mean time the town is in darkness.

Back Again.

Mr. Chas. H. Nash, Jr., who went to Benton, Texas, about two months ago to make his home, returned to the city Thursday morning. While he likes the people of Benton exceedingly well, he likes Hopkinsville better. He will take his old position at Hardwick's. Nothing like Rock Spring water to "draw."

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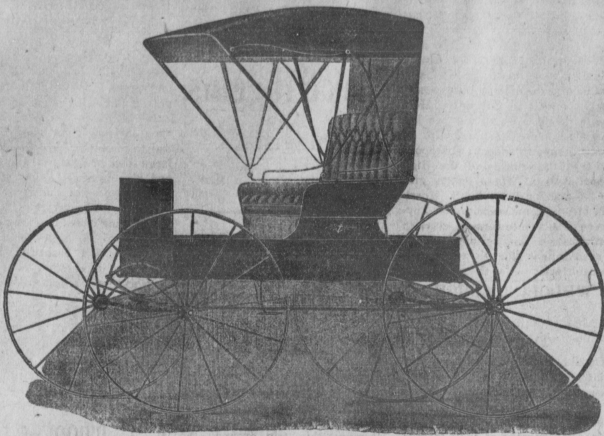
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A Gold Watch Given Free

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OUR 1907 SPRING VEHICLE OPENING

Will Commence Monday, April 15, and Last 10 Days.

We will exhibit during this opening the most complete line of Up-to-date Vehicles ever shown in Christian county. More Vehicles set up on the floor for your inspection than ever before shown

by anyone in this section. We buy all of our Vehicles by the car load, and we are going to give you **Rock Bottom Prices.** We will save you money, also present you with a nice gold watch.



A Grand Display of High Grade Makes

Of the Columbus, Morris Woodhull, Troy, Anchor, Delker and others in Carriages, Buggies, Phaetons, Stanhopes, Runabouts, Park Wagons and Road Wagons.

A Gold Watch Given with Every Vehicle

Just a word. This is not the usual cheap prize watch, but it is a Gold Filled. Guaranteed Case, Elgin or Waltham movement. Open or Hunting case as preferred. It is an elegant watch and a first class time keeper. It was selected from our big stock of high grade watches, and it is one which any gentleman should be proud to own. See the big display in our window.

Why do we make this Great Offer? Simply to Advertise our immense line of Vehicles, also our mammoth store, where everything you need can be found.



Special Display all Kinds of Harness.
Remember the Date,
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Apples, per peck, 30-50c
Beans, white, per lb., 5c
Coffee, Arbuckle's, per lb., 20c
Coffee, roasted, 20c to 35c
Coffee, green, 12½c to 25c
Tea, green, per lb., 60 to 80c
Tea, black, per lb., 40c to 50c
Cheese, cream, 20c lb., straight
Pine Apple, 65c to \$1.25
Edam, \$1.25
Sweetener, 50c lb.
Sugar, granulated, 17 lbs., \$1.00
Sugar, light brown, 18 lbs., \$1.00
Sugar, dark brown, 20 lbs., \$1.00
Sugar, Cuba, 14 lbs. for \$1.00
Sugar, XXXX, 14 lbs. for \$1.00
Flour, patent, per bbl., \$4.00
Flour, family, per bbl., \$3.20
Graham, per 100 lbs., \$3.20
Meal, per bushel, 80c
Hominy, 20c gallon.
Grits, 20c gallon.
Oat Flakes, package, 10c to 15c
Oat Flakes, bulk, 5c lb.

VEGETABLES.

Sweet potatoes, per peck, 30c
Irish potatoes, per peck, 25c
Cabbage, per lb., 3c
Onions, per peck, 40c
Turnips, peck, 20c
Celery, 5c and 10c a bunch.

CANNED GOODS.

Cranberries, per quart 15c
Corn, per doz. cans, \$1.00 to \$1.50
Tomatoes, 12 cans, \$1.00 to \$1.50
Peas, from 10c to 30c per can
Hominy, 10c per can.
Beets, per can, 10c
Kidney Beans, 10c can
Lima Beans, per can, 10c
Korona, per can, 20c
Squash, per can, 10c
Peaches, 10c to 40c per can.
Apricots, per can, 25c to 35c
Pineberries, per can, 25c to 35c
Raisins, 10c and 15c package.
Raisins, layer, 15c lb.
Evaporated Peaches, 20c lb.
Evaporated Apples, 10c lb.

Evap. Apricots, 15c @ 20c lb.
Prunes, 10c per lb.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Hams, country, per lb., 18c
Packer's hams, per lb., 18c
Shoulders, per lb., 10c
Sides, per lb., 10c
Lard, per lb., 13½c
Honey, 12½c

POULTRY.

Eggs, 16c doz. Hens, 7c lb.
Young Chickens, each 12c to 40c
Turkeys, fat, per lb., 6-8c
Ducks, per lb., 7c
Roosters, per lb., 3c
Full feather geese, per doz., \$3-\$4

Wholesale Prices.

GRAIN.

No. 2 Northern mixed oats, per bushel, 65c
No. 1 Timothy hay, per ton, \$22.00
No. 2 Timothy hay, per ton, \$20.00
No. 1 Clover Hay, per ton, \$20.00
Mixed Clover Hay and

POULTRY, EGGS AND BUTTER.

Prices paid by wholesale dealers to the producers and dairymen:
Live Poultry—Hens, per lb., 7½c
early springs, 10c... 7c

Butter—Packing, packing stock per lb., 15c

Eggs—Per dozen, 12c

ROOTS, HIDES, WOOL AND TAIL.

LOW.

Prices paid by wholesale dealers to butchers and farmers:

Roots—Southern ginseng, \$5.00 b.; "Golden Seal" yellow root, 90c lb.
Mayapple, 2c; pink root, 12c and 13c
Tallio—No. 1, 4½c; No. 3, 4c
Wool—Burry 12 to 20; Clear Grease, 25c to 30c; Medium, tub-washed, 35c to 40c; Coarse, dingy, tub-washed, 30c to 35c; Black wool 24c.

Feathers—Prime white geese, 45c; dark and mixed old geese, 25c to 35c; gray mixed, 15c to 30c; white duck, 35c.

Hides and Skins—These quotations are for Kentucky hides. Southern green hides 1-4c lower; We quote assorted lots, dry flat, No. 1, 16c to 18c; No. 2, 14c; round lots green salted beef hides, 8c.

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High-Class Horses, Mules and Jersey Cattle.

Ed. Thompson, G. S. Moore & Co., will hold this sale at the

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Entries close April 10th. Entry blanks mailed on application.

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To meet the demand for fine garments we will have on display for two days a line of

Ladies' Suits, Jackets, Waists, Skirts, Kimonas,

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==Prices Up To \$75.00.==

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A SCORE OF PLANT BEDS.

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ciation men could not be organized in the county.

The outrages are no longer confined to Trigg county but the same tactics are being resorted to in different sections of this county. The Pembroke Journal says almost a score of plantbeds between Pembroke and Fairview have been destroyed this week.

The Kentuckian will conceal no facts. It will suppress no news of these crimes, for business reasons or other reasons. If men are found with courage enough to protect their property and discover who the guilty parties are, they will be exposed, no matter whom they may be. This is no time for talking in whispers, or for mincing words. In a contest involving law on one side and lawlessness on the other, the Kentuckian stands where it has always stood—on the side of the law.

If the Tobacco Association expects or hopes to live and benefit its members, it must take a firm stand against all forms of lawlessness. If irresponsible friends of the organization are doing these things, they should be denounced as enemies to the association and reward offered for their apprehension. The feeling of unrest following this era of unpunished crime is causing good citizens and christian, God-fearing people everywhere to ask themselves where it is all to end.

Is the law impotent and powerless to cope with midnight marauders, who menace the property and lives of law abiding citizens? Are incendiaries and nightriders to be fostered and protected, until the people are forced to resort to other means of protection?

Fatal Hog Disease.

Messrs. W. T. Watts and John Froman, of the Sinking Fork neighborhood, have lost quite a number of hogs by a peculiar disease. They live only about ten or twelve hours after the disease takes hold. So far the disease has baffled those who have used the ordinary remedies.

NEXT MONDAY.

County Hunting and Fishing Club Will Meet.

Since, and even before the completion of the big lake built by the Water Company, there has been quite a liberal use of hot air and printers ink about what ought to be within the enclosure of the 'Water Company, provided certain privileges could be obtained. Hunting, picnicking, rowing and sitting beside the still waters and jerking out fish half an arm's length as fast as you could throw your hook into the water, and so on ad infinitum—but it has all been talk.

The Hunting and Fishing Club is to meet next Monday to take steps to carry out plans heretofore approved, and if the members can get a satisfactory price on certain privileges something will be done in a short time.

It is pretty certain that the club means to get down to business at once. It is said that there are only eight of the original forty yet unsold and that there are so many applicants for them that they are falling all over each other to get one. The stock of the company will have to be increased, it seems.

GOOD MEETING.

Series at Highland Chapel Developing Much Interest.

The meeting at Highland Chapel, conducted by Rev. W. T. Miller, assisted by Rev. W. E. Charles, of Dyckburg, Ky., is growing in interest with each service and large crowds are attending the meetings. Services are held at 3 p. m. and 7:30 at night. Tomorrow (Sunday) there will be services at 4 o'clock p. m., the Sunday School hour being 3 o'clock. Every body is invited to attend the services.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, causes chronic constipation. Doan's Regulets operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation. 25c. Ask your druggist for them.

Paper ham sucks, two sizes, for sale at this office.

Personal Gossip.

Mr. Moses L. Elb is in Louisville.

Mrs. Harry Keach is visiting relatives in Russellville.

Rodman Y. Meacham is home from Fordtown, Tenn., for a few days.

Miss Marion Lander will leave today for a visit to Mrs. Bernice Means, at Charlestown, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Walker, of Flagstaff, Arizona, are visiting the family of Mr. J. R. Frye, in the county.

Mr. W. S. Davison, who accompanied the remains of Mrs. Ellen Ramsey to Jacksonville, Ill., last Sunday night, returned home Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Watts, of Princeton, Ind., are visiting Mrs. Wallie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. V. Green, on the Nashville pike.

Messrs. Frank G. Hoge and H. P. McChord attended the convention of Independent Telephone Associations in Louisville this week. A big banquet Tuesday night closed the convention. At the banquet Mr. R. E. Cooper was one of the speakers.

Farm For Sale.

166 acres of well watered and timbered land, 2 miles from the business center of Hopkinsville, ideal location for truck farming, dairy, poultry or small fruits; good limestone land, on the best pike leading out of the city south. Land will produce anything grown in this climate. If you are interested, call on Miller Clark, Agent.

Sleep with Me and Eat in the Stag.

On or about April 25th I will open at No. 106 Main Street a first class Lodging House 25c. per night. Free bath and reading room open day and night.

Your patronage solicited. Come and see me. James Berry, Chef Stag Saloon.

MUSIC FESTIVAL.

First Rehearsal Will be Held Monday Night.

Prof. Mayo will arrive in the city Monday morning, to give the first rehearsals for the great music festival. He will drill the children's chorus in the day time, and the adult chorus at night.

It is the earnest desire to have all the adult voices at the tabernacle building Monday night; as the time for rehearsing is short we hope you will make it a point to be there Monday night. The ladies are requested to ask all the men folks to be present. Make yourself a committee of one to do this. From the information already received, we look for quite a large adult chorus. We want these choruses as large as possible.

Second Hand Machines

I have the following second hand machines for sale:

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| One 125 | H. P. Stationary Engine. |
| " 35 | " " " " |
| " 10 | " " " " |
| " 2 | " " " " |
| " 20 | " Traction " " |
| " 20 | " Portable " " |
| " 16 | " " " " |
| " 10 | " " " " |
| " 125 | " Tublar Boiler |
| " 2 | " Upright " " |
| " 4 | " Gasoline Engine. |

One pony saw mill with 50in saw, can sell for \$100.

All the above machines are in good condition and can make quick delivery on most all of it. Call or write me.

Yours to please

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BOTH PHONES.

We want all the ladies and gentlemen, if you are a solo singer all right, but we want all singers, as the soloists will be professional singers, and we want all local singers simply for the chorus work. There are more that 'sing by ear' than who read music, these people after being drilled by Prof. Mayo, will show up in the chorus just as well as the trained musician. No matter what church you attend, no matter if you are not a churchman, this festival is strictly non-political, non-denominational, it is for all people, and for the good of the people. The profits will be used as a repair fund for the tabernacle building. If enough is cleared we hope to remove all posts in the building, and replace the present seats with comfortable chairs. The festival will bring thousands of out of town people to our city, this will advertise Greater Hopkinsville more than anything ever held here. We want all the people to take part in it, as this is the only way to make it an artistic as well as financial success. The school children are very enthusiastic. We hope the adults will take as much interest. Well, we close this by asking you to do your part towards making Hopkinsville's first music festival a success. You can do this by simply coming out to rehearsal Monday night.—Chairman Music Committee.

NEGRO GIRL

Burned to Death at Pee Dee This Week.

A negro girl, daughter of Robert Brewer, one and a half miles from Pee Dee, was burned to death one day this week. She had saturated a cloth with oil and turpentine to scrub with and caught the cloth on fire, which ignited her clothing. She jumped into the bed and set the bed on fire and then ran into a pond where she fell and died from her burns. A neighbor arrived in time to put out the house, which had caught on fire. The girl was 14 years old and lived at C. S. Dawson's.

Free Fare
TO AND FROM
Nashville Spring Festival
FOR ENTIRE WEEK
OF APRIL 22 TO 27.

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TIME TABLE.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 52—St. Louis Express, 10:11 a. m.
No. 54—St. L. Post Mail, 10:05 p. m.
No. 92—C. & St. L. Lim., 6:04 a. m.
No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:55 p. m.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

No. 51—St. L. Express 5:18 p. m.
No. 53—St. L. Post Mail 5:37 a. m.
No. 55—C. & N. O. Lim. 11:50 p. m.
No. 55—Hopkinsville Ac. 7:05 a. m.
No. 52 and 54 connect at St. Louis for points west.

No. 51 connects at Guthrie for Memphis, Little Rock, and St. Louis.
No. 53 and 55 make direct connections at Guthrie for Louisville, Cincinnati and all points north and east thence. No. 52 and 54 connect at Memphis and way points.

No. 52 runs through to Chicago and will carry passengers to point South of Evansville also carries through to St. Louis.
No. 51, through sleepers to Atlanta, Macon, Jacksonville, St. Augustine and Tampa. Via All Pullman sleepers to New Orleans. Connections at Guthrie for points East and West. No. 52 will carry local passengers for points North of Nashville, Tenn.

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HISTORIC BROWNSVILLE OF TEXAS



US GOVERNMENT BUILDING

It is not generally known that James Stillman, president of the rich oil bank in the United States and reputed to be the financial genius of the Standard Oil company, was born in Brownsville, Tex.

In fact this little city of 7,000 people, tucked away in the southernmost tip of Texas, has been not only the birthplace of many great men, but the arena of events which not only made history, but are doubly interesting because of the element of romance interwoven with them. At present it is a city of memories dreaming on the banks of the Rio Grande river, with a wonderful soil and climate capable of supporting its population many times over. By reason of President Roosevelt's discharge of the negro troops who raided the town, many have first learned of its existence and comparatively few are aware of the important part it has played in the commercial and material history of this country.

In the days of the civil war, Matamoros, the Mexican city which lies directly across the Rio Grande from Brownsville, was a harbor of refuge for many who had left their homes for leaving the states and, with Brownsville, offered practically the only port in this country from which the cotton crop of the south could be exported.

By reason of these conditions both cities attained large populations and had to be the commercial centers of that territory, but with the close of the war, when commerce returned to its normal channels, the twin cities of the border, as they were called, sank back to their normal quietude and indolence.

This was in the days before the railroad, when post wagon and horse-back were the only means of travel, and it was in these days that the father of James Stillman did a semi-banking and trading business, first at Matamoros then at Brownsville.

The house in which the great banker was born is a comfortable brick cottage but no more than a cottage and when a mere boy his father decided that because of the feverish conditions in that section, it was best to send the boy and his mother north.

The president of the City National bank of New York has visited the city of his birth but once since then and though he owes a large portion of the city of Brownsville, he administers his affairs through an attorney. Next to the house in which Stillman was born is another cottage equally unpretentious. This was the refuge of one Porfirio Diaz, who after an unsuccessful attempt to become president of Mexico, crossed the river in the night for about the city and exhausted both in mind and body, struggled through the dense growth which screened him from his pursuers until he reached his friends in Brownsville. There for many weeks he plotted and planned until one dark night he crossed the river with but few more supporters than a corporal's squad and secured a bloodless victory over a detachment of Mexicans encamped on the bank. This was the beginning of Diaz's successful invasion into Mexico, and it is generally believed to have been far more the result of currency artfully expended than military force or strategy. When Texas decided to cast its fortunes with the United States, and in the general mix-up which resulted, Mexico continued to claim sovereignty over much of the territory in which Brownsville is situated.

Diplomacy failed to settle the matter and this little unheralded city became what might be termed the civic cause of the Mexican war. General Winfield Scott, with his army, landed at Corpus Christi and from thence marched to Brownsville. The first battle of the Mexican war took place at Palo Alto, about three miles north of Brownsville. The Mexicans were repelled, retreating to the Rio Grande river with Scott's army in close pursuit. In a skirmish at Brownsville, Maj. Brown was killed and the military post situated there has ever since borne the name of Fort Brown.

At Brownsville the Rio Grande attains the proportions of a mighty river, and increases in dimensions until it reaches the gulf, 30 miles away. This explains the importance of

Brownsville for the cotton planter in the days of the civil war. The river at that time was crowded with boats ready and willing to slip out with cotton for Europe, and it was the captain of one of these boats who appreciated the wonderful possibilities of the country and lost no time in buying all the land which his means would allow. His name was Henry King and his widow now owns the famous King ranch which contains nearly 1,500,000 acres, on which grass from 30,000 to 50,000 head of cattle. It is claimed that this is the largest ranch under one ownership in the world and certainly Mrs. King has absolute control of more territory than many a prince of Prussia. The home ranch, known as the Santa Gertrudis, is nearly 100 miles north of Brownsville, and it is a fact that the line of the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico railroad extends through her property for 80 miles.

For many years the water supply was the problem of this country and many of the cattlemen were upon the point of deserting it, but a few years ago artesian wells brought forth abundantly and now it is realized that the country is a place for man more than cattle.

As an evidence of the royal way in which things are done in this old yet new country, Mrs. King has cut out a strip of her property of 75,000 acres for those who wish to test agricultural possibilities of this country.

Many things in and about Brownsville are different from other sections and perhaps one of the most unusual features is that the country slopes up to the Rio Grande river. For this reason if water in any quantity is poured over the banks of the river, it will flow for many miles inland, propelled by no other force than gravity.

Taking advantage of this condition, a pumping plant is being erected on the river and canal and laterals are being dug for a total distance of nearly 200 miles, extending inland from 30 to 40 miles, which are expected to irrigate more than 1,000,000 acres of rich land.

The trend of commerce is causing Brownsville to awaken, but it was many years before it divests itself of the robe of romance which it has worn so long.

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A few weeks ago he was mislaid, and it was found that he had gone to pay his debts alone at a house where he had been permitted to go in, however, than the front door, where he stood impatiently scratching. Nor is it all "take" on his part and no return. He has become a very expert mouse. By day, however, he loves best to recline before the kitchen fire on a little old rug he recognizes as his own.



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Sent to School of Reform.

Mabel Gray, a colored girl, aged 14 years, was tried in the county court Thursday on a charge of disorderly conduct and ordered sent to the Glendale reform school, where she will remain until she arrives of age, or until she is sooner discharged.

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MISS COY OSBORNE.

The above is a picture of Miss Coy Osborne, of Laytonsville, who is one of the three contestants in district No. 1. Miss Osborne is in the lead in her district, having forged ahead more than a week ago. She is assistant postmaster at Laytonsville, and her popularity in that section is attested by the loyal support her many friends are giving her in the Jamestown Contest.

STANDING APRIL 19.
The standing of contestants on yesterday at noon was as follows:

| DISTRICT NO. 1. | |
|-------------------------------------|------|
| Miss Coy Osborne, Laytonsville..... | 2306 |
| Miss Alva Lewis, Pembroke..... | 2258 |
| Marion Burris, Hop..... | 1963 |
| Bessie Walker..... | 61 |
| Cora Burt, Pembroke..... | 44 |
| DISTRICT NO. 2. | |
| Miss Maybell Dillman, Pemb. R. 4602 | |
| Bessie L. Thacker, La'te..... | 3009 |
| Miss Ledlie Logan, West Fork..... | 2293 |
| Mrs. Edna Perry, Pemb. R. 2..... | 1372 |
| Miss Irene Giles, Howell..... | 450 |
| Zettie Lee Dawson, B'town..... | 463 |
| Katie Moss, B'town..... | 492 |
| DISTRICT NO. 3. | |
| Lois Adecock, Church Hill..... | 4647 |
| Edna Adams, Church Hill..... | 3078 |
| Alice Harris, Hop. R. 5..... | 659 |
| Mina Wood, Sinking Fork..... | 127 |
| DISTRICT NO. 4. | |
| Miss Maud Shanklin..... | 3296 |
| Mrs. Mattie Gaines..... | 1636 |
| Miss Bessie Richards..... | 110 |
| Hallie Leavell..... | 165 |
| Nina Wootton..... | 102 |
| Ella Shadoin..... | 80 |
| Annie Starling..... | 45 |

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